

SPECIAL PAPERS ON GENERAL METEOROLOGY.

ANNUAL SUMMARY AND INDEX FOR THE MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW.

In harmony with the general plan of the changes which have already been made in the character and scope of the MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW, it is announced that no Annual Summary will be issued for 1909.

The tabular matter which has heretofore been published in the Annual Summaries will in part now appear in the Annual Report of the Chief of the Weather Bureau, quarto edition.

The title-page and index to Volume 37 of the MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW will be issued as a separate pamphlet uniform in style and contents with that of previous years. A copy of the title-page and index for 1909, Volume 37, will be mailed to each address on the lists of the REVIEW for December, 1909, and to such recipients of the June, 1909, issue as may request it.

RECENT ADDITIONS TO THE WEATHER BUREAU LIBRARY.

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The following have been selected from among the titles of books recently received, as representing those most likely to be useful to Weather Bureau officials in their meteorological work and studies. Most of them can be lent for a limited time to officials and employees who make application for them. Anonymous publications are indicated by a —.

Aristoteles.

Météorologie d'Aristote. Traduite en français . . . avec le petit traité apocryphe Du monde par J. Barthélémy Saint-Hilaire. Paris. 1863. xciv, 468 p. 8°.

Austria. K. k. hydrographisches Zentralbureau.

Der Wolkenbruch in der Umgebung von Horitz in Böhmen am 12. September 1909. Wien. 1910. 4 p. f°. (Sonderabdruck aus der "Oesterreichischen Wochenschrift für den öffentlichen Baudienst. Heft 2. Jahrgang 1910.)

Bouches-du-Rhone. Commission de météorologie.

Bulletin annuel. Année 1908. 27^{me} année. Marseille. 1909. x, 120 p. 4°.

Canada. Department of marine and fisheries.

Report of the meteorological service of Canada. . . . 1906. Ottawa. 1909. xxi, 621 p. f°.

Casella & co., pub.

Anemometers, air meters & wind direction instruments. London. 1908. 32 p. 8°.

Meteorological instruments. London. 1908. 119 p. 8°.

Self-recording instruments (Richard's) for scientific, engineering, and industrial purposes. 1907. 52, xv p. 8°.

Grüner, P.

Dämmerungserscheinungen und Alpenglühchen, beobachtet in Bern im Jahre 1909. (Separat-Abdruck aus den Mitteilungen der naturforschenden Gesellschaft in Bern aus dem Jahre 1909.)

Jersey. Observatoire St. Louis.

Bulletin des observations météorologiques. 16^e année. 1909. Jersey. 1909-1910. [30] p. 4°.

Krakow. Observatory.

Wyniki spostrezen meteorologicznych w Galicyi w roku 1908 zestawione w. c. k. Obserwatorium astronomiczne w Krakowie. [Krakow. 1909.] 82 p. 8°.

Merzifun (Asia Minor). Anatolia college.

Meteorological records. 1909. 1 sheet. 36 × 23 cm.

Mysore. Meteorological department.

Meteorology in Mysore. Bangalore. 1909. 56 p. f°.

Rotch, A. Lawrence.

The conquest of the air, or the advent of aerial navigation. New York. 1909. x, 192 p. 12°. (Present day primers.)

Rudel, —.

Die Witterung Nürnberg 1908. Nürnberg. 1909. 37 p. 8°.

Same. 1909. Nürnberg. 1910. 37 p. 8°.

San Fernando. Instituto y observatorio de marina.

Anales . . . Sección 2. Observaciones meteorológicas, magnéticas y sísmicas. Año 1908. San Fernando. 1909. viii, 156 p. f°.

Stonyhurst college observatory.

Results of meteorological and magnetical observations. 1909. Liverpool. xv, 63 p. 12°.

Tams, E.

Die seismischen Registrierungen in Hamburg von 1. April 1908 bis zum 31. Dezember 1908. Hamburg. 1909. 33 p. 4°.

RECENT PAPERS BEARING ON METEOROLOGY AND SEISMOLOGY.

C. FITZHUGH TALMAN, Librarian.

The subjoined titles have been selected from the contents of the periodicals and serials recently received in the Library of the Weather Bureau. The titles selected are of papers or other communications bearing on meteorology or cognate branches of science. This is not a complete index of the meteorological contents of all the journals from which it has been compiled; it shows only the articles that appear to the compiler likely to be of particular interest in connection with the work of the Weather Bureau. Unsigned articles are indicated by a —.

Aircraft. New York. v. 1. March, 1910.

Rotch, A. Lawrence. The relation of wind to aerial navigation. p. 19-20.

— A. Lawrence Rotch. p. 23. [With portrait.]

— Dr. Octave Chanute. p. 23. [With portrait.]

American geographical society. Bulletin. New York. v. 43. January, 1910.

Watt, Andrew. The exploration of the upper air. p. 37-51. [Repr. Journal Scott. met. soc.]

Engineering news. New York. v. 63. 1910.

Harts, William W. The relation of forests to stream flow. p. 245. (Mar. 3.)

Moore, Willis L. The influence of forests on climate and on floods. p. 245-249. [Abstract.] (Mar. 3.)

— The forests and stream flow controversy continued. p. 252-253. (Mar. 3.)

Beardsley, R. C. Forests and stream flow. p. 255-256. (Mar. 3.)

Algué, José. Two severe storms in northern Luzon. p. 279-280. (Mar. 10.)

Geographical journal. London. v. 35. March, 1910.

Watkiss, Lloyd. Notes on Kordofan province. p. 249-267. [Climate, p. 257.]

Indian meteorological department. Memoirs. Simla. v. 18, pt. 4. 1909.

Elliot, Sir John. A discussion of the anemographic observations recorded at Roorkee from September, 1879, to August, 1904. p. 431-494.

Elliot, Sir John. A discussion of the anemographic observations recorded at Lahore from June, 1889, to May, 1905. p. 497-557.

Elliot, Sir John. A discussion of the anemographic observations recorded at Mussoree during the summer half-year (May to October) during the twelve-year period, 1877-1888. p. 559-613.

Nature. London. v. 82. February 10, 1910.

— The Paris floods. p. 434.

Royal meteorological society. Quarterly journal. London. v. 36. January, 1910.

Cave, Charles J. P. Methods employed for observing pilot balloons. p. 1-6. [Illustrated.]

— Dines's meteorograph for registering balloons. p. 6.

Marriott, William. Registering-balloon ascents at Gloucester, June 23 and 24, 1909. p. 7-15. [Illustrated.]

Brown, W. Piffe. Winter temperatures on mountain heights. p. 17-19.

Gold, Ernest. The semi-diurnal variation of rainfall. p. 21-24.

Shaw, William Napier. The variations of currents of air indicated by simultaneous records of the direction and velocity of the wind. p. 25-37.

Reed, William Gardner, Jr. The study of phenomenal climatology. p. 39-48. [Discusses the cyclonic unit. Illustrated.]

Reed, William Gardner, Jr. South American rainfall types. p. 49-59. [Illustrated.]

— Climate of Brazil. p. 59-62.

— Periodic changes in the seasonal positions and tracks of anticyclones. p. 65-67.

Royal society of Edinburgh. Transactions. Edinburgh. v. 47, pt. 1. 1909.

Mossman, Robert C[ockburn]. The meteorology of the Weddell quadrant and adjacent areas. p. 103-136. (no. 5.)

Mossman, R[obert] C[ockburn]. The monsoons of the Chilian littoral. [Preliminary note.] p. 137-141. (no. 6.)

Royal society. Philosophical transactions. London. ser. A. v. 208.

Schuster, Arthur. The diurnal variation of terrestrial magnetism. p. 163-204.

Science. New York. v. 31. March 11, 1910.

Palmer, Andrew H. Recent progress in meteorology and climatology. p. 390-394.

Scientific American supplement. New York. v. 69. 1910.

— Experiments with wireless weather signals from the north Atlantic. p. 153.

— New investigation of the rainbow. p. 187. (Mar. 19.)

Scottish geographical magazine. Edinburgh. v. 26. March, 1910.

Myres, John L. The geographical study of Greek and Roman culture. p. 113-130. [Relations of Mediterranean climate to culture. Periodical incursions of barbarians due to periods of deficient rainfall.]

Ciel et terre. Bruxelles. 30 année. 16 février 1910.

[Dryepondt]. Le climat équatorial et ses conséquences. p. 578-585.

Cosmos. Paris. 59 année. 5 mars 1910.

Marre, Francis. La couleur du ciel. p. 272-273. [Opposes the hypothesis that variations in the blue of the sky are a subjective effect, due to varying fatigue of the retina.]

France. Académie des sciences. Comptes rendus. Paris. 21 février 1910.

Montessus de Ballore, —. Sur le barographe considéré comme sismoscope enregistreur. p. 486-487.

Journal de physique. Paris. Tome 9. Février 1910.

Lallemand, Ch. Les marées de l'écorce terrestre. p. 113-129.

Nature. Paris. 98 année. 26 février 1910.

Martel, E. A. Le cycle météorologique de trente-cinq ans ou période de Brückner. p. 101, suppl. [Cites several opinions adverse to Brückner's theory.]

Globus. Berlin. Band 97. 10. Februar 1910.

Eckhardt, W. R. Die Theorie von Polverschiebungen und ihre Bedeutung für das paläothermale Problem, insbesondere die diluviale Eiszeit. p. 91-94.

Himmel und Erde. Berlin. Jahrgang 22. Februar 1910.

Müller, Ludwig. Erdbeben. p. 193-215.

Illustrierte aeronautische Mitteilungen. Berlin. 23. Februar. 1910.

Dieckmann, Max. Magnetische und electrische Probleme für die Luftschiffahrt. p. 7-12.

Meteorologische Zeitschrift. Braunschweig. Band 27. Februar, 1910.

Merecki, R. Über den Einfluss der veränderlichen Sonnentätigkeit auf den Verlauf der meteorologischen Elemente auf der Erde. p. 49-61.

Busch, Friedr. Der Bischofsche Ring und das Hauptpurpurlicht der Abenddämmerung in den Jahren 1907 bis 1909 einschliesslich nach Beobachtungen in Arnsberg. p. 61-65.

Müller, Paul. Die erdmagnetische Störung am 25. September 1909, beobachtet in Ekaterinburg. p. 65-68.

Schmauss, A. Friedrich Erk. p. 69-70.

Schreiber, A. Über Logarithmenpapiere und ihre Anwendung in der Meteorologie. p. 70-72.

— Klima von Merzifun (Kleinasien). p. 74.

Wolff, Hermann. Über die graphische Ermittlung des Hauptgradienten. p. 79-80.

Peppler, A. Die vertikalen Temperaturgradienten über Lindenbergs im Jahre 1906 bei verschiedenen Wetterlagen. p. 83-87.

H[ann], J[ulius]. Klimatafel für Makau. p. 87.

Defant, A. J. Craig: Über Verdunstung und Feuchtigkeit. p. 88-89.

Mitteilungen aus den deutschen Schutzgebieten. Berlin. 22. Band. 1909.

Seiner, Franz. Ergebnisse einer Bereisung des Gebietes zwischen Okawango und Sambesi (Caprivi-Zipfel) in den Jahren 1905 und 1906. p. 2-111. [Climate, p. 12-18.]

Jaeger, Fritz. Forschungen in den Hochregionen des Klimandscharo. p. 113-146; 161-197. ["Kap. 4. Das Klima des Klimandscharo, besonders des Kibo."] [Illustrated.]

— Ergebnisse der Regenmessungen in Kamerun im Jahre 1907. p. 147-153.

— Jahresbericht über das meteorologische Beobachtungswesen im südwestafrikanischen Schutzgebiet vom 1. Juli 1907 bis 30. Juni 1908. p. 154-160.

Heidke, P. Meteorologische Beobachtungen aus Deutsch-Ostafrika. Teil IV. Zusammenstellungen von Monats- und Jahresmitteln aus den Jahren 1905 und 1906 an 28 Beobachtungsstationen. p. 198-269.

— Ergebnisse der meteorologischen Beobachtungen in Togo im Jahre 1908. p. 270-276.

— Ergebnisse der Regenmessungen in Kamerun im Jahre 1908. p. 284-290.

— Ergebnisse der meteorologischen Beobachtungen in Kusseri am Logone 1907-08. p. 291-294.

— Aus den Schutzgebieten der Südsee. Ergebnisse der Regenmessungen im Jahre 1908. p. 299-304.

Prometheus. Berlin. Jahrgang 21. 9. Februar 1909.

— Das spezifische Gewicht von Schnee. p. 75, Beilage. [Specific weight of snow according to Schaller varies from 0.12 to 1.31 under different conditions.]

Wetter. Berlin. 27. Jahrgang. Februar 1910.

Ständer, F. Gibt es Vorzeichen für einen harten, mittleren oder milden Winter? p. 29-33. [Warm and moist late autumn and early winter indicate that the rest of the winter will be mild.]

Naegler, Wilhelm. Die meteorologische Station Caaschwitz (Reuss i. L.) 1898-1908. p. 36-43.

Grossmann, [L.] Der Gebrauch der Chiffrierung im Wetterdienst. p. 44-48.

Wiener Luftschiffer-Zeitung. Wien. 9. Jahrgang. 15. Februar 1910.

Broichsitter, Heinrich. Über Windmessapparate. p. 58-60.